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Executive Secretary
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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Secretary
National Security Council
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT : CIA Budget Requirements.

REFERENCE : Memo for DCI fr Exec Sec, NSC, dtd 10 Oct 50, re-
turning draft memoranda concerning the Fiscal Year
1951 Budget Supplemental Estimate and the Fiscal
Year 1952 Budget Estimate for the Central Intelli-
gence Agency.

1. The Fiscal Year 1951 Supplemental Budget Estimate and the
Fiscal Year 1952 Budget Estimate, prepared for the Central Intelligence
Agency prior to my assumption of the office of Director of
Central Intelligence, have been reviewed. These Estimates have also
been the subject of initial hearings before the appropriate officials
of the Bureau of the Budget.

2. As nearly as can be determined at this time, the total
sums requested will be required to meet the operational needs of CIA
during the fiscal years concerned.

3. In order to enable the Bureau of the Budget to complete
its action on these Estimates in accordance with the budget review
schedule of that Bureau, it is recommended that the National Security
Council approve the submission of the Estimates in the amounts
indicated.

SIGNED

WALTER B. SMITH
Director

2 Encls.

Encl 1 - Memo n/d for DCI fr Exec Sec, (1.3344)
NSC, subj: "Sup Est for FY
1951."

Encl 2 - Memo n/d for DCI fr Exec Sec,
NSC, subj: "FY 1952 Est Budg
Req."

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